

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2008**, upon the application of **JOHN J. WELSH**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Smackover "A" Zone**, in the East Haynesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit the Applicant to designate and utilize an existing well bore, the John J. Welsh-Browning No. 2 Well, as an alternate unit well, at an exceptional location, for the production of oil, gas and/or condensate from the Haynesville "A" Zone, in the unit designated SMK A SUA, such unit and well shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To find that an alternate unit well, is necessary to drain a portion of the Smackover "A" Zone in the unit designated SMK A SUA.
3. To permit the unit operator to produce the assigned unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit wells or from a combination of all wells at its discretion.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Smackover "A" Zone was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 105-C, effective August 29, 1949.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm).

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH  
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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**IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.**